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For: A METHOD OF PLANNING AND

MANUFACTURING AN LNG STORAGE TANK OR THE LIKE AND AN ALUMINIUM LNG STORAGE TANK MANUFACTURED USING THE

METHOD

## PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

The original claims that form the basis of this U.S. national stage application for the purpose of examination and amendment are the amended claims in the Annexes to the International Preliminary Report on Patentability.

Please make the following amendments to this application prior to examination thereof.